GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
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Contribution of Women in Agriculture
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has recently conducted any study on women participation and contribution to agriculture in the country;

(b) if so, the outcome thereof; and

(c) the follow up action taken by the Government on the findings of the study?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE

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(a): Government has not recently conducted any such study. Nevertheless, workforce participation rate as reflected in Census 2011 Report indicates women's participation and contribution in agriculture sector, both-as agricultural labourers and cultivators.

(b) & (c): Question does not arise.

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